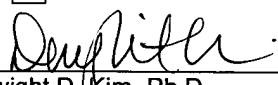
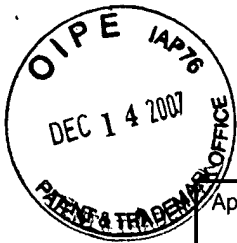




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In response to the Office Action (the "Action") dated November 28, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-captioned case in view of the following remarks.

Pending Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.